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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: The North Central Road Caucus (NCRC) has been working with various officials from District 4 of the West Virginia Department of Highways (DOH) and the West Virginia Department of Transportation (DOT) regarding unacceptable conditions for many roadways in the District 4 area; and

WHEREAS: The unacceptable conditions of many roadways in the District 4 area continue to have a negative impact on the economy and the quality of life for residents; and

WHEREAS: DOH officials from District 4 and the DOT have acknowledged that the CORE maintenance and road resurfacing schedule set by the DOH for state highways is not being met in District 4 area for many of the roadways; and

WHEREAS: DOH officials from District 4 acknowledge there is a lack of staff to maintain the CORE maintenance work in the entire area; and

WHEREAS: DOH officials concur with the NCRC that contract labor needs to be considered to provide CORE Maintenance for the primary roads in District 4 so that DOH staff can provide CORE Maintenance on other non-primary roadways in the District; and

WHEREAS: DOH officials from District 4 have estimated the cost to provide such contract labor to perform the CORE Maintenance on primary roads District 4 will require additional funds outside the current maintenance funding provided by the state.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the Monongalia County Commission, member of the North Central Road Caucus, requests the West Virginia Legislature immediately earmark additional funding to West Virginia Department of Highways District 4 to cover the costs associated with contracting the CORE Maintenance on all primary roads in Department of Highways District 4.

Adopted this 7th of November, 2018.

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